



**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B**

February 23, 2015

Chairwoman Ruthanne Miller  
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board  
Reeves Center  
2000 14th Street NW  
Washington, DC 20009

RE: West Dupont Liquor License Moratorium Zone

Dear Chairwoman Miller,

At its regular meeting on February 11, 2015 the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (“ANC 2B” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With 8 of 9 Commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following motion by a vote of (8-0):

ANC 2B requests a 120 day extension of the West Dupont Liquor License Moratorium Zone. ANC 2B requests this extension to analyze the impact of a potential request for renewal on peace, order, and quiet, residential parking, over-concentration, and property values in the locality. ANC 2B further requests the additional time due to a newly inaugurated commission which precluded beginning the community engagement process before January 2015 and a desire to fully understand neighbors’ thoughts on the moratorium through public meetings, online comments, and a report drafted by a working group. While the extension is for 120 days, ANC 2B will submit a recommendation to the ABC Board during or before May 2015.

Due to his position on the ABC Board, Commissioner Silverstein did not participate in this vote.

All Commissioners of the ANC with the exception of Mike Silverstein are the Commission’s representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Noah Smith". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent 'N' and 'S'.

Noah Smith  
Chairman

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